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Dear Mr. Lewis,

The Petition you filed on behalf of Carolina Water Service, Inc. has been duly received and assigned Docket No. 2004-64-S.

In order to proceed with the processing of this Docket, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

1. Publish one time, at your own expense, on or before **March 24, 2004**, the enclosed Notice of Filing in newspapers of general circulation, in the affected area, and provide the undersigned an **original of publication** on or before **March 31, 2004**.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates shown may result in **DISMISSAL** of your Pleading.

In the meantime, if you should require additional information, please advise.

Sincerely yours,

BRUCE F. DUKE
Executive Director

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